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PUBLIC LIBRARY MOVEMENT

GOOD ROADS MOVEMENT

WINS CLASSIC DERBY

PUBLIC PAVORITES NEVER

The time of the race was two minutes thirty-eight seconds, a fraction of a second faster than the average. Mr. Duryca had great faith in his horse,

able as the winner was led into

King George and Queen Mary were both present, as well as most of the staff of the United States embassy,

stall of the United States embassy, while distributed about the course were large numbers of Americans.

An army of police was encamped about the ground to prevent any at-

tempt at violence by militant suffra-

paddock.

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WEATHER CLOUDY

PRICE, 2 CENTS

# MERCURY REACHES 96 IN RICHMOND

Weather Bureau Figures Show This City to Be Hottest in United States.

NO PROSTRATIONS REPORTED BOARD HOLDS OPEN MEETING ORDERED HELD BY FUNSTON

Immediate Prospects of Lower Temperature or Rain Meagre, According to Forecast.

Richmond was yesterday the hot-Richmond was yesterday the hottest city in the United States, tho thermometer registering 95 degrees as the maximum for the day. As far as the maximum for the day. As far as it been as hot on the corresponding day in other years, and that occurred on May 27, 1911. On the following day of the same year the thermometer again reached ninety-five degrees. Not only this, but it's present month of May has, so far, been as dry a May as there is recorded; and there is but small promise of rain before June brings her roses, Far down in Texas, and but slowly moving in this direction, is a small rainstorm; but it is very much feared by the United States, Weather Bureau that the storm will have been exhausted before it begins to cover the Atlantic scaboard. Only a radical change in the indications of yesterday, it was ollicially stated, would bring rain to relieve the farmers and truckers of Virginia, and then it may come too late for a portion of the crop.

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For mothers with banes and young children it was a tremendous trial. Far into the evening perambulators lay out upon the ridewalk, so that the baby might get a breath of fresh air. Other mothers who had no perambulators, leaned from their windows or sat upon their small porches, singular their labels had a freshal she

New York, May 27.—The heat wave, which for two days past had sent the mercury here to unwonted heights for May, was broken by a storm late to day. Two men were killed by lightning and several persons were hurt by falling timbers or other objects blown about by the gale. Many buildings were struck by lightning and damaged. Two deaths to-day were natributed to the heat, and there were more than a dozen prostrations. The maximum temperature was 91.

The publishers produced statements to show that the prices quoted by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction in California for textbooks were not fair in that no account was remarked in the investment in the State Superintendent of Public Instruction in California for textbooks were not fair in that no account was printing office, depreciation and other costly items.

Interest in the negotiations is high, and the courtroom in which the board meets was crowded last night. Officials of several other large publishing buyers are to be heard to day.

THREE DEATHS IS DAYS TOLL OF HEAT IN PHILADELPHIA

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Philadelphia, May 27.—Three deaths and many prosetrations was the toll claimed by the heat wave which has had this city in its grasp for the past two days. The highest point reached by the mercury was 94.

At 6 o'clock to-night a thunderstorm broke temporarily the oppressiveness. No relief was promised by the Weather Bureau, and it is expected to-morrow will be a record-breaker.

## **PUBLISHERS MAKE** VIGOROUS DEFENSE

Protest Against Charges of Discrimination Against State in Textbook Prices.

Comparison With California Con- United States Officials Make No ditions Attacked as Unfair, Because Systems Differ.

Publishers of common school text-books made a vigorous defense against the charges of discrimination against

Third, No reductions in price will be present contract the product was but two degrees. It was hot over all the country, but hotter in Richmont in Richmont and where else on the map.

NO PROSTITATIONS ARI:

The board met at 8 o'clock to receive the report of the special book in the product of th

new record.

In Washington the inclosed thermometers at the elevated Weather Bureau registered 95 degrees, while those on the streets marked 100, the official figure within 1 degree of the record for the warmest May day since 1870.

This apparent discrepancy, said Mr. Thomas, is due to totally different systems of book adoption. In both States (Sin & Co's net receipt for the sale of the arithmetic is 75 cents. In Virginia 20 per cent is added to this price. those on the streets marked 160, the official figure within 1 degree of the record for the warmest May day since 1879.

In many cities throughout the East the temperatures reached a point only ene degree lower than in Washington. New York, Boston, Hartford, Albany and Philadelphia all sweltered, with the official thermometers showing 34 degrees. In the West, St. Louis, Evans-ville and Terre Haute had temperatures of 92 degrees.

Weather experts to-night promised slightly cooler weather for the East during the remainder of the week, but the indications are that no real relief will come until Friday, when a disturbance from the Northwest may bring general thunder showers.

HEAT WAVE IN NEW YORK

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Hot at Norfolk.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Norfolk, Va., May 27.—The highest tomperature recorded here this season was reached this afterneon at 2 o'clock, when the mercury in the Weather Bureau thermometer registered 20. Rain is needed badly.

Crops Are Burning Up.

Lynchburg, Va., May 27.—Accompanied by a temperature of 25 degrees, the drought played havee in this section to-day. Not a drop of rain has fallen here in more than three weeks, and farmers stand lille now and watch their crops burn up.

# LANDS AMMUNITION

German Steamer Bavaria Puts Ashore 1,800,000 Rounds at Puerto Mexico.

Attempt to Prevent Delivery of Cargo.

Vera Cruz, May 27 .- The German steamer Bavaria has been held here

now refuse the same service to Virginia?"

CONDITIONS IN STATES

ENTIRELY DIFFERENT

"Because," answered Mr. Green, 'conditions in the two States are totally different. You must great to tally different. You must great when the same service to Virginia and WHEN TOLD OF REPORT

"What," he said, showing some surprise, "already landed the arms?"

Mr. Bryan then read the dispatch, but declined to make further comment.

CONSTITUTIONALIST FORCES

THIREATENING ACAPULCO
Late to-day, Rear-Admiral Howard,
commanding the American fleet in
Mexican Pacific waters, reported that
Constitutionalist forces in Southwest-

stated that the American, Smith, who shot several Mexican brigands because they attacked his place near Tolana, is still under arrest and must indergo trial. He was reported to be well treated, however. His family was said to be at liberty.

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These facts were developed by the visit to Arista of the United States cruiser Albany. The Albany had a hard time to get in touch with Arista because of the heavy surf. One of her boats finally reached shore, and officers and crew proceeded inland to Tolana and communicated directs. and communicated directly with Smith.

## MONTAGUE IS HOPEFUL

Seeks Favorable Action on Bill to Appropriate \$600,000 for Richmond.

Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, May 27.—Congressman Montague called on the House Committee on Buildings and Grounds white the committee was holding its weekly session to-day and urged favorable action on the bill to appropriate \$600,000 to buy the residue of the post-office block upon which to erect an addition to the Richmond post-office.

The committee members stated they would take no action until the return of Congressman Frank Chark, chairman of the committee, who is campaigning for re-election in Florida. He is expected back about June 4.

Congressman Montague stated after his conference that he is in no way hopeless of favorable action upon Calrk's return, and hopes to get the appropriation at this session as an emergency case. Mr. Montague has been as diligent as possible in this matter, in approaching the committee as a whole and its individual members, and has gained the interest of the committee in the matter.

G. H. M.

Godiess to say, the American victory was not popular with the crowd, which numbered fully 250,000. They had come anxious to see the favorite win, or, barring that, the King's horse, Brakespear.

The race liself needs little description. It started twenty-one minutes shown by the favorite, Kennymore. This horse caused no end of trouble and as it was when the horses finally got away to a bad start Kennymore was left lengths in the rear.

When the horses have into sight again at Tattenham Corner, Magee shot Dubar through the rails, giving him a comfortable lead from Black Jester with Dan Russell, Brakespear and Poter the Hermit, following in the order named.

From this point the race was practically over, as Black Jester and Dan Russell dropped back leaving Haps—tee in the matter.

G. H. M.

# PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY

OPPOSES USE OF TOBACCO

AND GETTING WARMER

King Congratulates Its Owner, but Urges Clergymen, Candidates for Min-Fails to Invite Him to Derby istry and Church Officials to Abstain.

nerican Colony Happy When Horse No Change to Be Made in Handling of Ridden by American Jockey, McKee, Funds-Adjournment Expected to Be Taken by Noon To-Day.

Epsom, May 27 .- The Derby, best [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] known of the English classic horse Kansas City, May 27 .- The General

The betting just before the start of the race was 20 to 1 against Durbas, IL. 33 to 1 against Hapsburg, and 100 to 1 against Peter the Hermit. FLATTER THEIR SUPPORTERS
The public favorites never flattered their supporters at any stage of the

race. Kennymore, who led in the bet-ting, behaved so badly at the post that he delayed the start, and when the field finally was sent away he was left The report of the committee on bills in a bad position. Polycrats made all the running to the half distance, with Black Jester, Hapshurg, Dan Russell and Durbar, H., close up. Rounding Tattenham Corner, Durbar, H., jumped in on the rail and to the and evertures having been completed, Dr. J. S. Lyons, chairman, asted for the discharge of the committee, When this request had been granted, Dr. in on the rail and took up the running. He hold the command to the finian, easily stalling off several challengers. Dan Russell was fourth.

privilege, said:
"I hold no brief for Mr. Carnegie. I never met him, and I do not expect to meet him in this world. I hope to meet him in a better one. I deem it appropriate and in harmony with the sense of justice of this assembly, that an expression he made of its unwilling."

dations since the first two, and will make none until they are assured that their recommendedations are really wanted, and will be followed without being submitted to any other party.

Four more Ninth District postmasters have been nominated since Boyer and Olev were recommended. They an expression be made of its unwillingwhich was backed for large amounts by the American contingent. The jubi-lation among the blg crowd of trans-atlantic visitors was distinctly notice-

The exhortation of Dr. T. A. Wharton, of Texas, to give the women of the church anything they wanted in the management of their money, in their societies was heeded by a large their societies was heeded by a large majority of the commissioners in the adoption of the substitute to that part of the report of the standing report of the standing se on systematic benecommittee on systematic bene-ficence, the substitute recommend- at Jo-ing that no change be made in the Wise pperation of work of the auxiliary, but that it continue to work the coming year up on the plan of last year.

WOMEN WIN FIGHT TO

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REMAIN UNDISTURBED

cons would be preferable to the life tenure, the assembly sent the ques-tion down to the presbyteries for ad-From this point the race was practically over, as Black Jester and Dan Russell dropped back leaving Haps(Continued on Second Page.)

### WILL NAME CANDIDATES IF WANTED BY BURLESON

MOVEMENT

MPROVEMENT

Siartin and Swanson to Keep Hands Off Until Assured Recommendations Are Desired.

NUMBER THIRTEEN NO HOODOO WOMEN'S AUXILIARY WINS FIGHT DISPUTE IN NINTH DISTRICT

Postmaster-General Apparently Has No

Adopted Method of Filling Vacancies With Democrats. [Special to The Times-Disputch.]

Sign of the street of the stre Washington, May 27 .- Of the six

Senators Martin and Swanson stated to-day that they only made written had not been understood in the same those of Boyer at Tazewell, and C. N. Otey, at Wytheville. These, they stated, they made at the same time shortly after President Wilson was inserted. The report as a whole was adopted, dt is expected that business will be concluded in time to adjourn at noon to-morrow.

PROGRESSIVE SPIRITE

The progressive spirit to a marked egice was evidenced in the proceedings of the energal assemble.

Drother-in-law of attend.

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SENATORS FIRM FOR WHAT

THEY CONSIDER RECORD THE RECORD THEY CONSIDER RECORD TH

ing to grant the Senators what they declare is the right accorded Democratic Congressmen to name the post. and evertures having been completed, by J. S. Lyons, chairman, axed for the discharge of the committee. When this request had been granted, by Lyons, rising to a question of personal privilege, said:

an expression be made of its unwilling-ness to appear to pass judgment upon Mr. Carnegie, or upon any other per-son without adequate evidence."

The exhortation of Dr. T. A. Whar.

Courthouse, and C. H. Willoughby, at

joint written recommendations with the department, nevertheless, they ver-bally recommended the appointment of J. M. Minnich, at Gate City; J. D. Askew, at Pulaski; C. H. Willoughby, at Jonesville, and J. D. Richmond, at

BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED
The first three of these four were
nominated by Burleson, and Minnich
and Askew have been confirmed.
Postmaster-General Burleson advised The discussion of the report and the substitute was animated, and the adoption of the substitute "carried the point" in favor of the desire of the women for their plan of work to remain undisturbed. The point was made on the floor that insinuation had been made that a hint of disloyalty to the direction of the assembly had been detected in the spirit of the woman's auxiliary, and this was emphaticalty. auxiliary, and this was emphatically denied by commissioners.

Answering an overture asking whether rotation of elders and deacons would be preferable and deacons would be preferable. dorsement, For the other officers in the Ninth

District, where vacancies already exist or will soon occur, such as North Taze-well, Big Stone Gap, Bristol, Lebanon, (Continued on Second Page.) TO BALTIMORE YORK RIVER LINE.

# EXPECT PROTOCOL SOON TO BE SIGNED

Main Issues in Mexican Problem Satisfactorily Worked Out in Principle.

OPTIMISTIC SPIRIT PREVAILS

Points Yet to Be Taken Up Relate Chiefly to Internal Problems.

Magara Falls, Ont., May 27 .- Disposition of the Mexican problem by mediation had progressed so far at the end of to-day's conference that close in touch with the deliberations

close in touch with the deliberations predicted that a protocol would be signed within a week. The main issues are understood to have been satisfactorily worked out in principle.

Minor issues were said to have been the subject of a conference held today in Toronto between the mediators and the American delegates before attending the garden party given to the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, and the mediation colony. En route to-night from Toronto to Niggara Falls, the mediators communicated the Americans' views to the Mexican dele-

Points yet to be taken up, it is un-derstood, relate chiefly to internal problems, and it is known, if it decided to seek an agreement upon them at all, the mediators desire to treat them only in the broadest manner. The atitude of the Mexican represen-

tatives is that these internal problems should not be entered into by this tribunal, inasmuch as the discussion of one would lead to another, and so on.

MANY LOCAL PROBLEMS

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PECULIAR TO EACH STATE

In this connection, the Mexican delegates brought up, as an illustration, the governorship of Mexican states, and the problem of the relation of the state governments to the provisional Federal government when it shall have been established. They pointed out that to attempt to formulate a plan dealing with provisional control of state governments would involve the mediators to the point-of tedium in the solution of local problems peculiar to each state. each state.

The Mexican envoys hold that these problems can best be worked out by their own people. It was intimated totheir own people. It was intimated to-day that the mediators also desire to exclude as closely as consistent from their general plan all details that may be more practically worked out by the Mexican people. The mediators remain reticent as to precisely what disposal has been made of the question of the elimination of General Huerta, other than the intimation that his dignity will be upheld. Emphasis was laid on the fact that the plans formulated by the mediators comprehended the ex-pectation of bringing General Carranza to the support of the scheme for a pro-visional government.

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The confident hope was expressed by one mediator that as roon as Carranza and his followers became acquainted with the proposals, they will agree to cease their military oprations.

DEVELOPMENTS LEAD

TO SHORT CONFERENCE Toronto, May 27.—Although the South American mediators and the American and Mexican delegates, ac-

Conditions Under Which Young Women
Can Succeed in Chicago.
Chicago, May 27.—Young women, with good disposition, average attractiveness and with no slit skirts, lowent neeks or flat curis gummed on their cheeks, need never lack employment in Chicago, provided that they possess a reasonable degree of competency. This was the result of a discussion on the subject here, it was announced to-day, by employment heads of a number of large department stores and mail order concerns and experts from the Women's Trade Union League and several civic bodies.

One employer said that the greatest problem is the middle-aged woman who had grown careless of her appearance, Another declared that it was freakish girls. A third said that the hardest kind of girl to find a place for was the college girl, with no vocational training.

## TO ENTERTAIN VISITORS

Appropriation of \$104,000 Inserted in Naval Appropriation Bill.

Washington, May 27.—An appropriation of \$104,000 for entertaining officers and men of foreign fleets at the San Francisco Exposition, was inserted in the naval appropriation bill today by the Senate Committee of the whole.

The Senate also adopted an amendment permitting the passage of foreign ships, sent by their governments to the exposition, through the Panama Canal without payment of tolls.

## MARSHALL LEAVES ATLANTA

Returns to Washington After Delivering Commencement Address.
Atlanta, Ga., May 27.—Thomas R. Marshall, Vice-President of the Uzited States, returned to Washington to-day after delivering a brief address to members of the graduating class at Agnes Scott College, near here. Mr. Marshall came to Atlanta yesterday to participate in celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of that institution. He made the principal address in connection with that event last night.

Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, also

A most enjoyable trip at all times, and particularly now. \$2.00 one way; \$1.00 round trip.